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Re: Applicant: YI WANG et al.
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Dear Sir:

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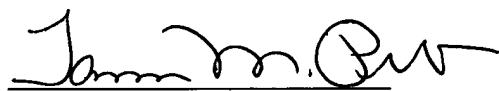
- [X] Transmittal Letter;
- [X] Petition for a Three Month Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a);
- [X] Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 - response to the outstanding Office Action dated 24 January 2002;
- [X] Appendix A – Pending Claims 1-14 and 17-34 – Clean Version;
- [X] Power of Attorney or Authorization of Agent;
- [X] Revocation of Power of Attorney or Authorization of Agent;
- [X] Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b);
- [X] postcard evidencing the same.

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As indicated in the Petition for Extension of Time, The Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct fees in the amount of \$920.00 from PTO Deposit Account No. 08-0219 and any other fees deemed necessary to maintain the pendency of this application.

Respectfully submitted,



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